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# **Important Information for Bank of America Cardholders**

Beginning April 2, 2001, a \$5 fee will be assessed on all Speed-Pay (Pay by Phone) transactions.

EAGLS Access - Bank of America provides secure access to cardholder travel card account information via the Internet. Cardholders will be able to change account holder information, request a replacement card, request a credit limit change, establish a new PIN, view statement transaction information and dispute transactions. Cardholders who would like access to EAGLS should fill out the attached application and return it to their Agency Program Coordinator (APC) for processing.

Cardholder Training - Attached is the Government Travel Charge Card Information Briefing slides for cardholders. Bank of America cardholders are encouraged to view the PowerPoint slides to gain a better understanding of the program.

Questions can be directed to Diane Baysore, ERDC Agency Program Coordinator, (217) 373-7262, diane.c.Baysore@erdc.usace.army.mil or the site APC listed below.

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# Water Resources Reference Room Dedication Scheduled for April 6

The dedication of the Arthur Maass-Gilbert F. White Water Resources Reference Room is scheduled to take place on April 6 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in Room 143, downstairs in the Casey Building. Maj. Gen. Milton Hunter, Deputy Chief of the Corps will lead a small symposium of speakers honoring these two men. No other scholars in the 20<sup>th</sup> century had more influence on the Corps of Engineers water resources program. Mr. Maass criticized the Corps' cozy relationship with Congress in his 1951 book, *Muddy Waters*, and he led the Harvard team that wrote *Design of Water Resource Systems*, the book that created the foundation for the P&S

and P&G. These books will be available in the Reference Room. Mr. White is considered the father of floodplain management; he advocated the equal consideration of non-structural measures since the late 1930s. He has worked with the Institute for Water Resources in the past, most recently during the National Drought Study and the Galloway Commission. These are truly two great Americans!

A videotape of the ceremony will be available to those who are unable to attend. This ceremony provides a chance to celebrate the origin of the fundamental principles that guided U.S. water resources development over the last 50+ years, with the added (and rare) opportunity to see these two distinguished scholars in the same forum. Additional papers and books, written by the duo, also are housed on the HECSA complex at the Corps' Office of History in the Kingman Building). (Bob Pietrowsky, Institute for Water Resources, robert.a.pietrowsky@usace.army.mil (703) 428-8073, (703) 428-8171 (fax))

#### **Calendar of Events**

May 16	Tour for Lt. Gen. Robert B. Flowers and USACE Staff – Conference Rooms 1, 2 and 3 from 8:30-11:30 a.m.
June 20	Engineer Day – Conference Rooms 1, 2 and 3 - 9 a.m. to Noon
June 28	TEC Open House/Picnic – Veteran's Park - Woodbridge

#### **Web Sites**

# **Ethics Training**

http://erdcinfo.erdc.usace.army.mil/training

## **ERDC Awards**

(http://erdcinfo.erdc.usace.army.mil/training/awards/awards.htm

## **Local College and University Links**

http://erdcinfo.erdc.usace.army.mil/training/collegelinks.htm.

#### Lab Demo Statistics Available on Intranet

http://erdcinfo.erdc.usace.army.mil/hr/labdemo/index.htm

## **ERDC Intranet Notes: Personnel Directories**

http://erdcinfo.erdc.usace.army.mil

#### Site Bulletins Available on Intranet

http://erdcinfo.erdc.usace.army.mil/command/index.htm

# **ERDC Travel Update**

http://erdcinfo.erdc.usace.army.mil/lmo/travel/index.htm

## **ERDC Publications on Internet**

http://erdc.usace.army.mil/pubs/index.htm

## **ERDC Job Vacancies**

http://erdcinfo.erdc.usace.army.mil/hr/vacancies/index.htm

http://www.cpol.army.mil/va/scripts/public.html

http://www.usajobs.opm.gov/a9.htm

#### **Commander's Mailbox**

ERDC team members are reminded that an electronic mailbox has been established to allow employees to send questions and/or comments to the Commander. If an employee wishes to remain anonymous, his or her name will be deleted from the question before it is forwarded to the Commander for comment. Employees' questions will be answered via return e-mail. Answers to anonymous and frequently asked questions will be posted in the Employee Information Bulletin.

The address in Outlook is, "ERDC Commander." Again, all information is kept strictly confidential and all questions are addressed directly by the Commander.

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#### For Sale

1991 Honda Civic Hatchback 4-Speed, Air Conditioning, AM-FM Cassette, New Timing Belt, Tune-up, Brakes, CV Boots and Paint. \$2350/OBO. Runs Great, Good Commuter Car. Must sell. (Dick Garrity, (703) 680-2119 or 540-710-1904)